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NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET AT-A-GLANCE



DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The market tone on 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms was fully steady, instances firm. Demand was light to moderate. No trading was reported. Offerings short to light. The market tone on parts and meats was steady to fully steady, instances firm. Demand was light to moderate. Offerings were mixed from short to fully adequate.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading was very light. Demand was light to moderate, most buyers taking a wait and see attitude. Offerings mixed from short to fully adequate.

SAN FRANCISCO TURKEYS (CENTS PE DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND IN:		LOS ANGELES PROCESSED TURKEYS (CENT DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITU	-
	RANGE		RANGE
TURKEYS Y HENS	110-129	FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	75-77
TURKEYS Y TOMS UNDER 22#	110-125	FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 28# & UP	77-80
TURKEYS Y TOMS 22-24#	110-125	BREASTS 10-12#	
TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-26#	110-125	COOKED ROLLS 60/40% 9# & UP	
TURKEYS Y TOMS 26 LBS & OVER	110-125	<u>DELIVERED TO RETAILERS</u>	RANGE
		FRESH TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	99-108
		FRESH TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	99-108
		FROZEN TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	75
		FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	75
		FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	75-77

WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN 1/, CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS)

CURRENT SHIPMENTS 2/					FORWARD SHIPMENTS 6/			OPEN COMMITMENTS 7/	
	OFFERS	SALES	WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)	WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)	DEL. PER	VOLUME (000)	DEL. PER
8-16 LB HENS				. ,		, ,		(/	
EASTERN REGION 3/	75-77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_
CENTRAL REGION 4/	75-77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	75-77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16-24 LB TOMS									
EASTERN REGION	75-77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION	75-77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION	75-77	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

^{1/} May include product stored at temperatures in range of 1 to 25 degress F. 2/ Includes product priced for shipment within 14 days.
3/ Includes product with 3 percent broth basting. 4/ Includes product with 3-6 percent broth basting. 5/ Includes products with 6 percent broth basting. 6/ Includes product committed for pricing during the previous 24 hours but shipment in more than 14 days from date of commitment. 7/ Includes product committed during previous 24 hours at prices to be determined at later date.

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NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS, INCLUDING BULK MEAT and FROZEN (UNLESS SPECIFIED), CENTS PER LB., DELIVERED FIRST RECEIVERS, PART AND FULL TRUCKLOTS AS OF 07 MAY 2007.

The market tone on tom bulk parts was steady to fully steady with tom necks firm. The market tone on hen 2-joint wings was mixed ranging from barely steady to fully steady. Demand on bulk parts was in a full range, mostly moderate. Offerings of tom drums light to adequate, balance short to light. Offerings of hen 2-joint wings light to fully adequate with supplies dependant upon processor, balance of hen bulk parts light and spotty. Firm priced trading slow. For domestic (non-basted 18-20 lb. rib breasts): plant grade 180, Grade A 190 cents delivered. Retail features for this week were more active on ground turkey along with fresh bone-in breasts, balance light to moderate.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		M	120.00	80
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE AFRESH 2/		F	150.00	20
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/	114.00		114.00	40
DRUMSTICKS, TOM		W	50.00	20
DRUMSTICKS, TOMFRESH		F	47.60	300
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		R	45.00	2
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM		F	40.44	90
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		F	41.00	40
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	52.00	30
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		F	72.31	175
NECKS, TOM		W	33.00	80
NECKS, HEN	27.00		27.00	10
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/		M	238.00	40
BREASTS, B/S, TOMFRESH 3/	230.00		230.00	120
THIGH MEAT		R	89.00	40
THIGH MEATFRESH				
BREAST TRIM MEAT		T	121.00	40
SCAPULA MEAT		R	119.00	40
TENDERLOINS		W	186.00	80
DESTRAPPED TENDERS				
DESTRAPPED TENDERSFRESH		F	218.00	10
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		W	80.80	200
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		F	29.67	120
MECHANICALLY SEPARATEDFRESH 4/		F	38.33	120
EXPORT TRADING				
DRUMSTICKS, TOMS		F	50.58	344
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS	42.00		42.00	208
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	53.00	208
TAILS		F	27.00	104
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		R	23.00	40
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		M	88.00	40

^{1/} CODES FOR LAST SIGNIFICANT TRADE (L.S.T.):

M=MONDAY T=TUESDAY W=WEDNESDAY R=THURSDAY F=FRIDAY

^{2/} Breasts are bagged; rib, back, and wing meat included; and basted.

^{3/} Boneless and skinless without tenderloins.

^{4/ 15-20%} fat with skin added.